



# Lab suppliers receive Department of Energy awards

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Three businesses that provide services to Los Alamos National Laboratory received Department of Energy (DOE) small business awards for fiscal year 2011 in Washington, D.C.

Eberline Services of Santa Fe received DOE's Small Business of the Year award. Eberline conducted environmental drilling services at the Lab as well as gamma-ray spectroscopy analysis. The work in 2011 was completed without recordable injuries or lost work time due to accidents.

HukariAscendent Inc. of Colorado received the DOE Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business of the Year award. HukariAscendent provided technical services for nuclear high-hazard support and engineering services on several Lab projects.

ARSEC Environmental LLC, a Louisiana company with offices in White Rock, received the DOE 8(a) Small Disadvantaged Business of the Year award. A Native American-owned business, ARSEC was the general contractor for the decommissioning and

demolition of the Lab's former administration building and provided decontamination and demolition support for work at a material disposal area. The company completed its work here ahead of schedule, under budget, and with no reportable safety incidents. LANL's Small Business Program Office nominated the companies for the awards.

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